Title: Need to sanction a Kendriya Vidyalaya in Haveri district of Karnataka.

SHRI MANJUNATH KUNNUR (DHARWAD SOUTH): Haveri is one of the most educationally, socially, economically backward districts in Northern part of Karnataka. Haveri is a newly formed District Head Quarters. There is neither a Kendriya Vidyalaya nor Central Syllabus system school in the District. Haveri town has a large number of mutli-language population. Business trade centres and also a lot of Government of India and State Government officers are residing in Haveri town. Haveri is on the National Highway No. 4 having railway station and several Central Government employees and other semi Government employees are residing in the District particularly from Telephone Department, Banks, Post & Telegraph Department, etc. If the Kendriya Vidyalaya is sanctioned, the local authorities and the State Government are in a position to give land and other infrastructure benefits to the Kendriya Vidyalaya. There are more than 30% of minority population in this area. Apart from this there is a huge population of SCs, STs, Dalits and down trodden.

Under the circumstances, I would like to request the hon. Minister of Human Resource Development, through you, Sir, to look into the matter and direct the concerned authorities to consider the request for sanction of Kendriya Vidyalaya in Haveri Town in Karnataka.